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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

National Petroleum Council (NPC)

AGENCY: Department of Energy, Office of Fossil Energy.

ACTION: Notice of renewal.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Section 14(a)(2)(A) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, (Public

Law No. 92-463), and in accordance with Title 41 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section

102-3.65(a), and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General

Services Administration, notice is hereby given that the National Petroleum Council (NPC) will

be renewed for a two-year period beginning on January 10, 2014.

The Council will provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary of Energy on

matters relating to oil and natural gas, or the oil and natural gas industry.

Additionally, the renewal of the NPC has been determined to be essential to the conduct

of the Department of Energy's business and to be in the public interest in connection with the

performance of duties imposed upon the Department of Energy, by law and agreement. The

Council will continue to operate in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory

Committee Act, adhering to the rules and regulations in implementation of that Act.

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